



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE
Governor

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Secretary

Fall 2011 Litter Sweep Roadside Cleanup September 17 - October 1, 2011

Dear Friends for a Litter-Free North Carolina:

Litter Sweep is the North Carolina Department of Transportation biannual statewide roadside litter cleanup event. This is your opportunity to demonstrate your support for a clean North Carolina by organizing a cleanup in your community between September 17th and October 1st.

To highlight the significance of the cleanup and a clean environment, Governor Perdue has issued a proclamation naming **September 17th - October 1st**, Litter Sweep time in North Carolina. NCDOT crews, local governments, Department of Correction inmates, Adopt-A-Highway volunteers, churches, civic organizations, schools, businesses and concerned citizens across the state will be cleaning roadsides with you. Working together we can reach our goal of clean and beautiful communities.

The following Litter Sweep materials are available at www.ncdot.gov/~littersweep for your use in promoting the cleanup:

- Governor Perdue's Litter Sweep Proclamation.
- Litter Sweep poster and listing of NCDOT telephone numbers.
- Certificate of Appreciation Request form. All volunteers may receive a certificate for participating in the cleanup.
- KNCB Most Unusual Litter Contest form. Cash prizes will be awarded for the most unusual litter found.
- Safety Rules and Hazardous Materials Safety Alert.
- Litter Sweep Cleanup Procedures.
- To request copies call 1-800-331-5864.

Cleanup supplies may be picked up from your local NCDOT county maintenance office. Orange safety vests, orange trash bags, blue recycling bags and gloves will be available. Some counties will have pickup sticks. After your cleanup, call your local NCDOT county maintenance office to ask for your trash filled orange bags to be picked up from the roadside.

On behalf of Governor Perdue and Secretary Conti, thank you for your leadership in sustaining clean communities and a clean state for all North Carolinians.

Sincerely,

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